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In re Application of

Shigeaki IMAI, et al.

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For: METHOD FOR GENERATING THREE-DIMENSIONAL FORM DATA AND
APPARATUS THEREFOR

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

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Sir:

The following amendment and remarks are submitted in response to the Official
Action mailed July 5, 2002.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification as follows:

✓ At page 2, the first full paragraph:

When the above-mentioned active stereo method is used, data has a large amount
as large as several tens thousands to several hundred thousands points. If the amount of
data is so large, there is a serious burden on handling the three-dimensional form data
with a computer, or it takes a long time to display a picture or to operate the data. Thus,
processing speed becomes low.

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